AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **GROUP 2621** PATENT APPLICATION

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in re application of

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 28, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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Subject Draft Amendment for discussion at Interview Scheduled for 5/12/04 at 2 pm

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Dear Examiner Werner,

Per our conversation, attached is a draft amendment for discussion. Please advise beforehand if you have any comments or questions that may make the interview more efficiently conducted.

Regards, Alan Kasper Reg. 25,426